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DECLARATION FOR PATENT APPLICATION

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name. I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled **APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR LOW-DENSITY CELLULAR WOOD PLASTIC COMPOSITES**, which is described and claimed in



- ☐ the attached specification.
☒ the specification in application 10/699,399, filed on October 27, 2003 and amended on _____ (if applicable).
☐ international (PCT) application No. _____, filed on _____ and as amended on _____ (if applicable).

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is known to be material to the patentability of this application in accordance with Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, §1.56.

I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under Title 35, United States Code, §119 of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate listed below and have also identified below any foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed.

Prior Foreign Application(s)

Priority Claimed

_____ (Number)	_____ (Country)	_____ (Day/Month/Year Filed)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
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I hereby claim the benefit under Title 35, United States Code, §120 of any United States application(s) listed below and, insofar as the subject matter of each of the claims of this application is not disclosed in the prior United States application in the manner provided by the first paragraph of Title 35, United States Code, §112, I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is known to be material to the patentability of this application as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, §1.56 which occurred between the filing date of the prior application and the national or PCT International filing date of this application.

_____ PCT/US02/13188 (Application Number)	_____ 04/26/2002 (Filing Date)	_____ (Status - Patented, Pending, Abandoned)
_____ 60/286,848 (Application Number)	_____ 04/26/2001 (Filing Date)	_____ (Status - Patented, Pending, Abandoned)

I hereby appoint the following attorney(s) and/or agent(s) to prosecute this application and to transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith: James F. Doyle, Reg. No. 33,653; Timothy E. Newholm, Reg. No. 34,400; David D. Stein, Reg. No. 40,828; Michael J. Gratz, Reg. No. 39,693; Mary E. Eberle, Reg. No. 43,599; Peter C. Stomma, Reg. No. 36,020; Andrew S. McConnell, Reg. No. 32,272; Mathew E. Corr, Reg. No. 45,434; Jay G. Durn, Reg. No. 41,723; Mollie A. Newcomb, Reg. No. 50,915; and William T. Kryger, Reg. No. 53,163.

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I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

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Title: APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR LOW-DENSITY CELLULAR WOOD PLASTIC COMPOSITES
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Title: APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR LOW-DENSITY CELLULAR WOOD PLASTIC COMPOSITES

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Inventor's signature: David F. Dostal

Date: 6/01/04

Residence: _____

Citizenship: U.S.

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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, we, **Terry C. Laver, Brian Keller, Alfred B. England, and David F. Dostal** have made a certain new and useful invention for which we have applied for a Letters Patent of the United States, and such patent application may be identified in the United States Patent Office as United States Patent Application Serial No. 10/699,599 filed on October 27, 2003, and entitled:

APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR LOW-DENSITY CELLULAR WOOD PLASTIC COMPOSITES

WHEREAS, **STRANDEX CORPORATION**, a corporation organized and existing under and by virtue of the laws of the State of Wisconsin and having its principal place of business in **Madison, Wisconsin**, is desirous of acquiring the entire interest in and to said invention, said application and the Letters Patent to be obtained therefor;


NOW, THEREFORE, for and in consideration of One Dollar and other good and valuable consideration to us has been paid, the receipt and sufficiency whereof are hereby acknowledged, we have sold, assigned, and set over and by this document do hereby sell, assign, and set over unto the said **STRANDEX CORPORATION**, and said assignee's legal representative, successors and assigns, the entire right, title and interest in and to any and all patents and related applications including the aforesaid patent application as filed in the United States and any other application filed in the U.S. or in any other country which may be based in whole or in part on said inventions and discoveries, and in and to any and all Letters Patent heretofore or hereafter granted by the United States or any other country and which may be based in whole or in part on said inventions and discoveries, said assignment including the right to file and prosecute any and all such applications and also including the right to sue and recover for any and all such patent or applications and also including the right to sue and recover for any and all infringements of said patents; and request the Commissioner of Patents to issue said Letters Patent to the above-mentioned assignee agreeably with the terms of this assignment.

We HEREBY AUTHORIZE the law firm of Boyle, Fredrickson, Newholm, Stein & Gratz, S.C. the power to insert in this instrument any further identification which may be necessary or desirable in order to comply with the rules of the United States Patent Office for recordation of this document.

UPON SAID CONSIDERATION, we do hereby covenant for each of ourselves and our heirs, legal representatives and assigns that neither of us nor any of our heirs, legal representatives or assigns have or will execute any instrument or perform any act in conflict herewith and that we and our heirs and heirs, legal representatives and assigns will at all times do such acts and execute such papers, without expense to ourselves, as may be necessary or desirable in order to fully protect said inventions and discoveries for the benefit of said assignee, its successors or assigns, and to otherwise carry into full force and effect the text and interest of this assignment.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, each of us has signed below.

Date: June 1, 2004




Terry C. Laver (SEAL)

STATE OF WISCONSIN)
) ss.
Dave COUNTY)

On this 1st day of June, 2004, before me, a notary public in and for said county, appeared **TERRY C. LAVER** who has shown to me to be the same person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument, and he acknowledged that he signed, sealed and delivered the said instrument as his free and voluntary act for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

(SEAL)

Date: _____

 (SEAL)
Alfred B. England

STATE OF _____)
) ss.
_____ COUNTY)

On this _____ day of _____, 2004, before me, a notary public in and for said county, appeared **Alfred B. England** who has shown to me to be the same person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument, and he acknowledged that he signed, sealed and delivered the said instrument as his free and voluntary act for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

Notary Public, State of _____ (SEAL)
My Commission: _____

Date: _____

Brian Keller (SEAL)

STATE OF WISCONSIN)
) ss.
_____ COUNTY)

On this _____ day of _____, 2004, before me, a notary public in and for said county, appeared **Brian Keller** who has shown to me to be the same person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument, and he acknowledged that he signed, sealed and delivered the said instrument as his free and voluntary act for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

Notary Public, State of Wisconsin (SEAL)
My Commission: _____

Date: _____

David Dostal (SEAL)

STATE OF WISCONSIN)
) ss.
_____ COUNTY)

On this _____ day of _____, 2004, before me, a notary public in and for said county, appeared **David Dostal** who has shown to me to be the same person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument, and he acknowledged that he signed, sealed and delivered the said instrument as his free and voluntary act for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

Notary Public, State of Wisconsin (SEAL)
My Commission: _____

Date: _____

Alfred B. England (SEAL)

STATE OF _____)
) ss.
_____ COUNTY)

On this _____ day of _____, 2004, before me, a notary public in and for said county, appeared Alfred B. England who has shown to me to be the same person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument, and he acknowledged that he signed, sealed and delivered the said instrument as his free and voluntary act for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

Notary Public, State of _____
My Commission: _____

Date: _____

Brian D. Keller (SEAL)
Brian Keller

STATE OF WISCONSIN)
387-84-9788) ss.
Dane COUNTY)

On this _____ day of _____, 2004, before me, a notary public in and for said county, appeared Brian Keller who has shown to me to be the same person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument, and he acknowledged that he signed, sealed and delivered the said instrument as his free and voluntary act for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

Notary Public, State of Wisconsin
My Commission: _____

Date: 6/01/04

David Dostal (SEAL)
David Dostal

STATE OF WISCONSIN)
481-70-8298) ss.
Jefferson COUNTY)

On this _____ day of _____, 2004, before me, a notary public in and for said county, appeared David Dostal who has shown to me to be the same person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument, and he acknowledged that he signed, sealed and delivered the said instrument as his free and voluntary act for the uses and purposes therein set forth.

Notary Public, State of Wisconsin
My Commission: _____